

LATE POLITICAL NEWS.

Chief Justice Turner Nominated by Tennessee Democrats.

Chief Justice Peter Turner of the Tennessee supreme court was yesterday nominated for governor by the Tennessee democratic convention. Over 1,600 delegates were present and the best of feeling prevailed throughout. Chairman Thomas McDonald of the state executive committee called the convention to order at 12 o'clock and E. L. Bullock was made temporary chairman. Committees were then appointed, and after hearing enthusiastic speeches from ex-Gov. Taylor, Senator Harris, Congressman Patterson and others, the convention adjourned until 3:30.

At the afternoon session W. A. Henderson of Knox county was made permanent chairman. The committee on credentials reported that the nomination had been adopted. It adjourned to the Chicago platform, and Stevenson, declares for state government, the state opposes double taxation and opposes officials receiving double fees from the state.

The name of Peter Turner was the only one placed before the convention, and the roll being called he received 1,475 votes out of a possible 1,601. J. W. Sparks received 25; Gov. Buchanan, 15; Benton McMillin, 10; Judge T. J. Judge, 7. The nomination was adopted and the nomination was made unanimous. Judge Turner then delivered an address and the convention adjourned.

Mrs. Pugh Says Mr. Hill is in Line.

Senator Pugh met Senator Hill on Monday, and after a conference that the Alabama Senator accepted Hill's invitation to visit Northernly-by-the-Sea. Before leaving for the seaside retreat Senator Pugh spoke of the intimate friendly relations that existed between himself and Senator Hill and he added:

"I do not know how Senator Hill intends to vote on the presidential ticket, but as a loyal democrat I have no doubt that he will support our presidential ticket. Of course, the defeat he suffered at Chicago was a great disappointment to him and his numerous friends, but he will overcome it and enter the campaign as a loyal worker."

The Republican Outlook.

Mr. McComas, secretary of the republican executive committee, says: "We are very hopeful of carrying New York this year, and the outlook is more encouraging every day. I see that the democrats are preparing to make a vigorous contest in some of the western and northwestern states, but they will be met with equal vigor. We propose to hold every state that has heretofore been republican. It is stated that the situation in Virginia is full of hope for the republicans. One of the most important factors in the election may be that Virginia has every reason to become a republican state, and if the intricacies of the present election law in that state can be surmounted we thought they had a good chance to carry the state."

To Assist Chairman Carter.

Ex-Chairman Hahn of the republican committee was in consultation with Chairman Dicks in Ohio yesterday relative to the work of the campaign, and left for New York at mid-night. He had received a number of letters from Chairman Carter of the republican committee, indicating that he go to New York and give the committee the benefit of his counsels, and it is likely that he will remain at the headquarters of the committee for the greater portion of the time until the close of the campaign.

Mr. Hahn is to be assigned an important department of the work of the national committee.

To Succeed Representative Johnson.

W. J. White, facetiously known as the Duke of Yucatan, because of his connection with the manufacture of gun bearing that name, was nominated for Congress by the republicans of the twentieth Ohio district in Cleveland yesterday. A few years ago he was practically a poor man. Today he is twice a millionaire, and his income is reported to be \$200,000 a year. It has all been made out of gun. A liberal expenditure of money has started him on the highway to Congress. The district is reliably republican.

Giant and Midget Wed.

A Romantic Incident in the Lives of a Couple of Circus Freaks.

Extremes met in this city this morning, says a Bolivar, Mo., weekly, with the Texas giant, Col. Torrell, seven feet eight inches in height, married pretty Henriette Mority, the midget maiden, who is just twenty-two inches high. The couple have been the chief attraction with a circus showing in this section for some weeks past. It had been evident to the attaches of the show for a long time past that the giant was badly smitten with the midget, while she seemed to look up admiringly at him.

Finally the swain, whose sights oftentimes defied the canvas as though a hurricane was raging outside, determined to make the lovely and little Henriette his own forever. So quickly taking a clergyman into his confidence, the hour was set, and this morning the gallant giant stole his fairy bride from beneath her mother's wing.

Miss Mority, Torrell's mother-in-law, raised alive, and the swain, to secure her daughter had married the giant, and for a time it looked as though he would lose his bride and the circus its chief attraction. Finally the manager of the show came to the rescue, painted in glowing words the greater attraction the couple would be to the show, and their services were soon secured.

Col. and Mrs. Torrell, the Texas giant and his midget wife, will be in letters twelve inches long.

Mars Has Inhabitants.

Prof. Payne, Williams and Cranbury Have a Fine View of the Planets.

Godsell's observatory at Northfield, Minn., claims the distinction of being the first during this opposition to see Mars' two moons. Prof. Payne and Williams of Godsell's and Prof. Cranbury of Des Moines made some observations Monday night.

After they had finished their search Prof. Payne said: "I think we are the only ones who are able to see the moon this trip, and I think it is as fine a sight as I have seen since 1875, though not quite so long. Phoebe looks redder, while Deimos looks less red. We can hardly tell it is so far, just how far these moons' circuit around Mars is, since the only way of measuring that distance is by the setting of the light."

Prof. Payne also said that there is no doubt that Mars is inhabited.

Mrs. Brooks' Curse.

The suicide of Judge James C. Normile of the St. Louis criminal court yesterday will afford the superstitious a chance to speculate, says the New York Herald. He was one of three whose death was the chief attraction with a circus showing in this section for some weeks past. It had been evident to the attaches of the show for a long time past that the giant was badly smitten with the midget, while she seemed to look up admiringly at him.

Judge Normile was prosecuting attorney at the trial of Walter H. Lemon-Maxwell, alias Brooks, who was convicted and executed for the shooting of his friend and benefactor, Arthur C. Frelton, the Senator, here. The case was known as the trunk mystery and was noted throughout the world.

The parents of the murderer came from England, where Brooks is, a schoolmaster, and are now returning to secure his accustation, but to no purpose. After the trial it was reported that Mrs. Brooks called down a curse upon the head of the trial judge, the prosecutor and, lastly, Gov. Morehouse, who refused to commute the sentence. It is interesting now to note that the trial judge, John Morehouse failed in a re-election, that Gov. Morehouse died in a fit of delirium committed suicide less than a year ago and the prosecutor in the case has died by his own hand.

Killed in a Collision.

An accommodation train on the Northern Central railway dashed into a number of freight cars just outside of Calvert station in Baltimore yesterday afternoon. Charles Rose, a brakeman, was slightly mangled, and died shortly after being removed to the hospital. The tracks were cleared in a few minutes and there was no delay to traffic.

Parson Downes' Case Again.

Justice Sherman of the Massachusetts superior court has set aside the verdict in the case of Rev. W. W. Downes against Deacon Storey and others of the Bowdon Square Church and granted a new trial. The verdict gave Downes \$10,000.

Pierce Mahony, who represented North Main in the late part of the trial and was a defense candidate for the seat in the present parliament, has lodged a petition against the election of Michael Davitt, charging clerical intimidation.

WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—A COMPETENT TEACHER OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE, to teach English for a boy ten years of age. 1775 Q. St. N. W.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED FEEDER TO L. WILSON, 430 11th St. Apply immediately to L. WILSON.

WANTED—AT ONCE A TINNER; ALSO BOY TO HELP. DODDSON & HODGSON, 1220 H St. N. W.

WANTED—A GIRL TO COOK, WASH AND IRON IN A SMALL FAMILY; MUST BRING REFERENCES. 1000 15th St. N. W.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE WORK; apply with reference. 1000 52d N. F.

WANTED—GOOD LABOR, \$1.50 PER DAY. NO BOARD, ROOMS, ETC. 1000 15th St. N. W.

WANTED—WOMAN OR GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply with references to 1000 23d N. W.

WANTED—A DRUG CLERK. APPLY AT ONCE 1000 New York Ave. N. W.

WANTED—A WHITE NURSE FOR A CHILD FIVE YEARS. APPLY AT MYRTLE HOTEL, 1000 15th St. N. W.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COLORED COOK. ALSO chambermaid; prefer two sisters; references. Apply 1000 New York Ave., basement door.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG LADIES OF GOOD ADVICE. Those who are not afraid of hard work and can furnish references. Apply 1000 New York Ave. auto-10.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN THOROUGHLY EDUCATED, WITH A SHOT BUSINESS OF HIS OWN. ADDRESS: ADDRESSES: 1000 Washington St. N. W.

WANTED—CANDVERS WANTED. COMPETENT. ADDRESS: 1000 Columbia AUTOMATIC FILTER CO., 1626 F St. N. W.

WANTED—A BOY TO MAKE HIMSELF USEFUL IN A RESTAURANT. ADDRESS: 1000 5th St. N. W.

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